

**CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES  
OROVILLE FACILITIES  
PRELIMINARY ISSUES SHEET**

**ISSUE STATEMENT: (R1)**

Adequacy of existing project recreation facilities, opportunities, and access to accommodate current use and future demand

**GOALS:**

1. Assess the full range of recreation opportunities that can be provided at the Oroville Facilities.
2. Obtain input from diverse user groups, including both locals and potential non-local visitors.
3. Compliance with FERC recreation, access, and public safety guidelines.
4. Compliance with existing plans, policies regulations, and ADA Guidelines.
5. Consider the impact of recreational uses and facilities on the natural environment.

**EXISTING INFORMATION:**

1. DWR Recreation Plan for Lake Oroville State Recreation Area
2. DPR Resource Management Plan and General Development Plan, Lake Oroville State Recreation Area
3. City of Oroville General Plan and Land Use Maps
4. Butte County General Plan
5. Oroville Wildlife Area Management Plan
6. Statewide Comprehensive Outdoor Recreation Plan
7. FERC Form 80
8. DPR Public Opinion on Outdoor Recreation in California
9. Reservoirs of Opportunity : Report of the National Recreation Lakes Commission
10. A Study of Boater Recreation On Lake Berryessa, California
11. Poe Hydroelectric Project Recreation Studies
12. Lake Oroville State Recreation Area Recreational Use Study
13. DPR Lake Oroville Resource Inventory
14. Lake Oroville State Recreation Area, Statewide Resources Management Plan
15. Recreation Facilities Plan for North and South Delta
16. Lake Oroville Attendance Figures
17. Lake Oroville State Recreation Area Trail Map

**INFORMATION NEEDED:**

1. Identify operational and access constraints to the Oroville Facilities, particularly lake level data.
2. Identify suitable locations for recreation areas and facilities based on environmental and constructed factors, as well as areas of constraint.
3. Identify existing recreation facilities and conditions.
4. Identify areas where recreation facilities are complementary to each other.
5. Identify property ownership.
6. Identify demand, needs and preferences of users for various recreation opportunities.
7. Evaluate recreational and land use plans for consistency.
8. Evaluate ADA accessibility.
9. Identify current and projected recreation use.
10. Evaluate existing and potential public use impacts from recreation activities and facilities.

**LEVEL OF ANALYSIS/NEEDED/GEOGRAPHIC SCOPE:**

The geographic scope of analysis includes lands within and immediately adjacent to the FERC project boundary.